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PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants	:	James A. Hoffmann et al.)	
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Serial No.	:	09/744,431)	
)	Group Art Unit:
Filed	:	July 15, 1999)	1647
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For	:	FSH Polypeptides, Formulations,)	
		Products and Methods)	Examiner:
)	R. DeBerry
Docket No.	:	X-12383M)	

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111 & AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.121

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Introductory Comments

Enclosed is a response to the Office Action dated 16 April 2003, Paper No. 15. Additionally enclosed is a petition for a three-month extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136. The Applicants authorize the Office to charge the necessary fee for an extension of time to Deposit Account No. 05-0840 in the name of Eli Lilly and Company.

Please amend this application as follows:

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